# BEARFACTS 1992 – 2002 Carroll, Mississippi [28015]

Carroll is one of 82 counties in Mississippi. It is part of the Greenwood, MS Micropolitan SA. Its 2002 population of 10,491 ranked 71st in the state.

### PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2002 Carroll had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$19,422. This PCPI ranked 40th in the state and was 87 percent of the state average, \$22,377, and 63 percent of the national average, \$30,821. The 2002 PCPI reflected an increase of 0.6 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 1.8 percent and the national change was 0.8 percent. In 1992 the PCPI of Carroll was \$12,548 and ranked 53rd in the state. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.4 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

#### TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2002 Carroll had a total personal income (TPI) of \$203,758\*. This TPI ranked 67th in the state and accounted for 0.3 percent of the state total. In 1992 the TPI of Carroll was \$118,645\* and ranked 72nd in the state. The 2002 TPI reflected a decrease of 1.0 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 2.0 percent and the national change was 1.8 percent. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.3 percent and for the nation was 5.2 percent.

## COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Carroll. In 2002 net earnings accounted for 63.3 percent of TPI (compared with 67.6 in 1992); dividends, interest, and rent were 13.7 percent (compared with 12.1 in 1992); and personal current transfer receipts were 23.0 percent (compared with 20.3 in 1992). From 2001 to 2002 net earnings decreased 1.5 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 12.0 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 8.4 percent. From 1992 to 2002 net earnings increased on average 4.9 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 6.9 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.9 percent.

#### EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Carroll decreased from \$49,601\* in 2001 to \$40,616\* in 2002, a decrease of 18.1 percent. The 2001-2002 state change was 2.2 percent and the national change was 2.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1992 estimate of \$33,697\* to the 2002 estimate was 1.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.0 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

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